

12/11/2011  
4:00p.m. EST

ActArcs Meeting

Attendees (physical & spiritual)

Kelly Haydon  
Shira Peltzman  
Dan Erdman  
Bono Olgado  
Rufus de Rham  
Marie Lasca  
Rebecca Fraimow  
Yvonne Ng  
Lindy Leong

Howard Besser

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Round robin :

Howard: 2 hour convo with someone from Brooklyn Ink

- tried to explain what we're doing
- asked about Facebook and Twitter (which we're not focusing on)
- some kind of article on what we're doing, coming out in a week
- Occupy London: Occupy Bristol!
- Occupy the Bank of Ideas
- Occupy tent monsters in Australia

Lindy: has been doing crawling research & went to foreclosure tour for OWS

- Saw the live streaming guys and gave them information about our group
- Not sure how receptive they were (super busy), but maybe they will contact us
- [Weallockupy.com](http://Weallockupy.com), might be duplicating Becky's work- super useful

Rufus: Meeting with New York Historical Society

- very interested in what we're doing, want to assist us
- they have collected on informal basis, have collected from beginning
- focused on physical items
- Rufus said he would try to get them in touch with OWS archive
- Would like to talk with Michael Nash regarding physical items
- interested in CC licensing, had major issues with 9/11 material
- working with different NY high schools, good source for collecting volunteers
- want to find ways to bridge physical and digital realm together
- interested in display items- photography (Flickr etc.)

- Need more digital expertise
- Their goal is to preserve NY history

SIDE NOTE: Creative Commons 4.0 discussion has gone public  
-have section for collecting institutions but it is blank- **we should contribute!!**

Yvonne: Witness Tip Sheet

- has yet to receive public feedback
- we will send it out via social networking etc.

Kelly: Working on structure for website & wiki

- not yet ready for public use

Marie: Best Practices for Creators & Collectors

- currently working on assignment version for Creators draft
- more legal information included
- hoping for more input from collectors, will try to flesh out soon

Howard: We should come up with a statement of intent

- I would like the material I shot to be preserved and made available etc.

-some kind of app, they check a box stating what they expect this to be used for, doesn't have to be legal or binding language, just intent

Rufus: Need language in best practices telling creators to be aware of donor rights

- an Internet Archive uploading app to combat YouTube & Vimeo app!!!

Yvonne: terms of use for upload site, or form to deposit with archives?

Rufus: Donor deposit form right now won't be valid with actual institutions

Bono: Needs to be something to state non-exclusive rights to archives

Rufus: YouTube you either © or attribution only, no in between

Yvonne: should have check list or questions for depositor to be aware

Rufus: Awesome Metadata Spreadsheet

- VimeoPro good (\$50/year? Library could potentially pay that)
- YouTube pure evil
- Vimeo (regular) also evil
- Internet Archive the best\*\*
- iphone- only thing that embeds GPS coordinates in wrapper
- YouTube and Vimeo strip info and put it in descriptive video
- Android- no idea where GPS info goes
- Look at the sheet!!!

Kelly: Worthwhile to have bullet points for people to test out things also

Rufus: Yes, there is plenty more to test

- scrapes off Vimeo- dates stripped out, derivative file has new encoded date, horribly compressed
- will have 7 page paper by Monday 12-12-11

Kelly: ActivistArcivists.org

- design temporary- waiting on graphic designer availability
- logo will be created
- trying to go live by Dec 18 2011-12-11
- we will have tip sheet, best practices, resources etc., contact form
- message board for institutions to be in contact??
- have links to all institutions, section for minutes, calendar
- timeline?

Nudgeworthy Projects:

- Tamiment access to Think Tank files? Have not heard back about that, will try next week
- “Why Archive” card- haven’t heard anything, someone to follow up with Rick- Kelly

Other ideas:

- Hashtag reference guide? Super helpful, super time consuming.
- Dan & Shira on hashtag committee
- Googledocs is much more interactive- comment function now
- can schedule dates where people will work on one document

Tasks for the upcoming week:

- Being MIAPed
- spread Witness tip sheet
- Rufus will share metadata report